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## U.F.A. REORGANIZE MADDEN LOCAL

Geo. E. Church of Balsac, director of the U.F.A. for Bow River and East Calgary, spent Monday and Tuesday of last week in the Crossfield and Madden districts in the interests of the U.F.A.

On Wednesday evening Mr. Church, accompanied by R. M. McCool, attended a meeting in the Madden hall when the Madden U. F. A. was reorganized with 36 paid up members and the possibility of some 30 others joining up in the near future. The meeting was well attended and considerable enthusiasm was shown.

A delegation was present from Cremona who stated that large numbers in their district were also anxious to reorganize the U. F. A., and further meetings will be held in the near future both at Cremona and Bottrel for this purpose. The farmers seem to be realizing that through a strong and active farmers' organization is the best method of approach to their problems.

Mr. Church and Mr. McCool expect to do some similar work in the Crossfield and Floral districts in the near future, as several requests have been received from farmers in this district stating that they wish their locals reorganized.

Mr. Church, as director, dealt with the aims and objects of the organization, outlining many of the problems that they have taken an active interest in, and in many cases where direct benefits have come to all the farmers as a result. Mr. McCool dealt particularly with the co-operative end of the work, not only pertaining to the newly opened store in Calgary, but to the general work of the U.F.A. Central Co-operative Association throughout the province, stating that for the past two years the volume of business has exceeded the million dollar mark each year and that, in addition to the paid up capital assets throughout the province, they have returned over \$125,000 in cash dividends during the last nine years.

The new officers elected for the Madden local are as follows: President, H. Gano; Vice-president, Nick King; Secretary-treasurer, Wilfred Simmons; Directors: Jesse H. Havens, Ross Gano, F. D. Parker, Ivan Vance and Phil Phillips.

The first regular monthly meeting will be held in Madden hall on March 5th at 8 p.m.

## Legion Hold Annual Meeting

At the annual meeting of the Crossfield Branch of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., held in the Fire Hall on Saturday last, officers elected for the ensuing year were: President, Comrade H. McQuay; 1st vice president, Comrade C. H. McMillan; 2nd vice-president, Comrade A. Montgomery; Secretary-treasurer, Comrade H. May. Executive Committee: Comrades D. J. Hall, A. H. Walsh, Donald Cameron and W. H. McCool.

The Branch decided to buy one \$50.00 War Savings Certificate.

In order to raise funds for the forthcoming War Services Drive, it is planned to hold a dance in the near future.

ARE YOU A WAR SAVER?

## LOCALS

Joe Ellison spent the week-end with friends in Edmonton.

Ballam's have just received a new shipment of calico dresses.

Miss Sylvia Kalestad of Redcliff was a week end visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Ellison.

Mrs. Underhill of Crossfield was a week-end visitor at the home of her niece, Mrs. Glen Dahl.

—Vulcan Advocate.

The regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid of the United Church will be held next Wednesday afternoon, March 5, at 3 o'clock in the church parlour.

The Board of Trade is holding a dance in the U.F.A. Hall on Friday night, the 28th. The music is being supplied by Ken Moore.

Corporal Cameron returned from the Colonel Belcher hospital yesterday, Wednesday, and is convalescing at his home here.

Miss Brown of the local school staff, who was ill with the 'flu' in the latter part of last week, was able to resume her teaching duties on Monday.

En route to her home in Penitence, B.C., after visiting relatives in Edmonton, Mrs. S. Evoy is a guest this week at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. V. Ellison, and Mr. Ellison.

The power farming entertainment of McCormick-Deering is to be held in the U.F.A. hall next Monday. For full particulars, see page 4.

After visiting here at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Sefton, Mrs. W. Todd has returned to her home in Vulcan.

After winning the War Savings Certificate raffled by the High School hockey club, Mr. Wm. Urquhart generously donated it back to the club to be raffled again. The lucky winner in the second draw was W. Spivey.

## Presentation and Shower.

A very pleasant afternoon was spent at the home of Mrs. Mary Wigle, on Friday, February 21. The Rebekah's were out "en masse" to honor their District Deputy President Mrs. Thelma Oneil, and also to shower their Noble Grand's sister, Mrs. Claude Deeks, whose house was recently destroyed by fire. Mrs. Mae Fox, convenor of entertainment, started the ball rolling with a game of "Truth and Consequences", which certainly caused considerable amusement. The judges awarded first prize to be divided between Mrs. Fox and Mrs. Green. Their consecutive consequences were, — to imitate a skir about to throw his last rock under ticklish opposition, and to assume the role of a doctor in making a diagnosis.

Following this merriment, Mrs. Evelyn Lilley, N.G., on behalf of the members of Justice Rebekah Lodge presented Mrs. Oneil with a half dozen silver salad forks. In making the presentation the Noble Grand thanked Mrs. Oneil, and congratulated her on the completion of a very successful term of office. Mrs. Oneil thanked the members very much and in turn presented Mrs. Deeks with a large box, gaily decorated, containing fruit, jam, pickles and jelly, also various other timely gifts. Mrs. Deeks thanked them heartily for the lovely shower and sisterly spirit shown.

Mrs. Wigle, assisted by Mrs. Ballam and others, then wound up the afternoon's entertainment by serving a delicious lunch.

Ross Laut of the R. C. A. F. and stationed at Allford Bay, B. C., arrived home today on leave.

Two rinks of curlers, skipped by Mesdames McMillan and Harrison are taking part in the ladies' bonspiel at Didsbury today.

## LOCALS

George Fleming is somewhat better today, having been confined to bed this week with a slight attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. W. R. Emerson has leased her house to Fred Elhard and expects to leave with her boys for the east at the beginning of March, to be near Mr. Emerson who is stationed at Petawawa Camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Spivey and young son, from Lacombe, are guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Spivey. Mr. Spivey has enlisted in the Air Force and leaves for the east Friday night to commence training. Mrs. Spivey will remain here for the present.

There has been quite a flurry in real estate recently, several properties having changed hands. Mr. A. E. Edlund has purchased the Fox property on the corner of Ross and Hammond streets, where he is making extensive interior alterations prior to taking up residence.

W. Spivey has sold his house to Mrs. A. D. Stevens, who will take possession the 1st of April.

The Atlas Lumber Company have disposed of their old lumber shed on Nanton Street to J. Gallali. S. Reid has the contract of dismantling the building, when it will be removed to the Gallali farm.

Nine members of the Senior C. G. I. T. were in Calgary during the week-end, attending the C. G. I. T. Conference held in the Hillhurst United Church. There were 130 in attendance. Registering and getting acquainted occupied Friday evening with sessions Saturday morning and afternoon devoted to the work of the groups and Bible Study. This was followed by a banquet in Knox United Church.

They attended the morning service at Hillhurst Church on Sunday. All report an enjoyable and inspiring trip.

## G. Purvis Wins Main Events

The Curling Club's annual bonspiel passed into history Tuesday when the last final was played, with Gordon Purvis winning first prize in both the Deliveries and Calgary Power Events, and Hazelton of Didsbury taking the Consolation. Twenty three rinks were entered in the 'spiel, including 11 visiting rinks.

The prize winners:

Calgary Power: 1st, G. Purvis; 2nd, C. Purvis; 3rd, M. Jones; 4th, D. Ontkes.

Deliveries: 1st, G. Purvis; 2nd, D. Carmichael; 3rd, High School; and 4th, J. Heskehr.

Consolation: 1st, Hazelton, Didsbury; 2nd, Lee, Carstairs; 3rd, McGregor, Cremona; 4th, L. Liesemer Carstairs.

Personnel of the G. Purvis rink: W. K. Gish, lead; Jim McCool, 2nd; Doug. Hall, 3rd; and G. Purvis, skip.

The president v. vice-president competition was played off Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. There were some close scores and some not so close. Vice-president W. N. Jones' side finally defeating President P. H. Fleming's side by a total of 38 points.

How the various rinks fared in the competition is shown below.

President.	Vice-president.
P. Fleming 6	M. N. Jones 12
G. Purvis 6	D. Ontkes 10
J. Heskehr 7	W. Shantz 7
C. Fox 8	H. Ballam 9
C. Purvis 1	C. Becker 18
A. Edlund 6	Carmichael 14
	34 70

As is customary, the losers will entertain the winners at an oyster supper.

## Junior Grain Club

The reorganization meeting of the Crossfield Junior Grain Club was held in the U. F. A. hall on Saturday afternoon, February 22, with a fairly good attendance. After some discussion, it was decided to change from a Wheat to an Oat Club which will operate the same as the Wheat Club has during the past two years.

Mr. McPhail, District Agriculturist from Olds, was present and congratulated the Club on their standing in the past year. Out of the 100 clubs in the province, Crossfield was placed fifth.

Officers elected for the Oats Club for the 1941 season are: Honorary President, Mr. O. K. Jones; President, Elmer Rogers; Vice-president Clarence Riddell; Secretary, Howard Rogers; Club Leader, Neil Laut; Seed Supply Officer, Mr. M. Ruston.

## C.G.I.T. SHOWER

Honoring one of their members who was recently married, Mrs. Stanice Switzer (nee Jean Gilchrist) the Senior Group C.G.I.T. held a miscellaneous shower at the home of Miss Nora Fleming on Tuesday evening. The time was spent in making a bride's scrap book, which proved very entertaining. The gifts were then presented in a nicely decorated basket for which Jean thanked them very graciously. After a dainty lunch Mrs. Fleming, Miss Gough and Mrs. Vetter read the tea-cups.

## British General Reviews Turkish Allies



Gen. Sir James Handydale, Marshal-Coravall and Air Marshal Sir T. W. Blimhurst, of the British Middle East Command, are reported in Thrace forming plans for British-Turkish co-operation if the Germans thrust to the south. Here the British general reviews Turkish troops at Ankara in "between conversations with the Turkish High Command. At his right are Turkish staff officers.

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Thursday February 27th 1941.

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### POLAND UNDER THE GERMAN GESTAPO

The Gestapo rules in Poland with barbaric severity. Starving, driven from their homes, heavy prison sentences on trumped-up charges, the Poles are now facing annihilation.

The German Press announces a new series of executions. Litzmanstadt Zeitung reports five-year prison sentences for two Poles charged with listening to radio broadcasts from London. Mitteldeutscher Zeitung tells how the Polish proprietor of a restaurant was fined 50 marks for serving a drink to a Pole.

The food rations in Poland are almost twice as great for Germans as for Poles. In the Pomerania district, sale of fruit to Poles is forbidden. In Lodz, Poles may not buy linens. The Allensteiner Zeitung prints an order by the Prussian authorities whereby Poles are required to have special permits to enter church on Sundays and holidays. Clergy conducting masses for the Polish people are obliged to inform the German police at least three days prior to the mass. Three thousand Polish priests are reported to be in concentration camps.



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## Canadian Pacific

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Yet the spirit of revolt is abroad here and there, throughout the occupied area. Polish peasants are beginning to resist. Krakauer Zeitung published by the German authorities reports a death sentence passed on a Polish peasant, Thomasz Bajik of Chechel, because he offered resistance to the German police sent to requisition his only cow.

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### British "Bleacher" View of the War



In the past ten days very nearly 700 German planes have been shot down during raids over the British Isles—an average score of seventy per day. In this unique picture a group of women are getting a first-hand view of a Messerschmitt plane shot down in an air battle over a wheat field. The picture arrived in Canada via the Clipper.

### FOOD SHORTAGE GROWS IN NORWAY

The food situation grows worse in Norway. The huge German army of occupation (estimated at more than 300,000 men) continues to requisition meat, eggs and other foods, and the Norwegian puppet Nazis have first pick. Shortage of meat has become acute, particularly in Oslo where butcher shops are closed for the greater part of the week. Long lines of weary housewives form in front of food stores several hours before they open. If luck is with them, they obtain half a pound of chopped meat or a small piece of sausage. The supply of flour is rapidly decreasing. Bread is made with so many ingredients that it tastes like cardboard. Milk production is down 23 per cent. Dairies report a 35 per cent decrease in the production of butter.

"Accidents" have so often broken the power lines to German airports in western Norway that the Nazis have resorted to wholesale firing of communities nearest the

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scene of sabotage.

The city of Trondheim was recently fined 60,000 crowns because an unidentified assailant threw acid in the face of a German sailor. Stavanger had to pay a levy of 50,000 crowns for a "power failure" in the town.

All seven bishops of the State Church of Norway have signed a document addressed to Acting Minister Ragnar Skancke of the Department of Church and Education in which they indict the present regime in Oslo, accus-

ing the puppet authorities of openly encouraging acts of violence and contempt for the law.



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523	10:07 a.m.
525	5:53 p.m.

##### SUNDAY

521	12:42 a.m.
527	6:01 p.m.

#### Bus Schedule

##### NORTH

7:51 a.m.	2:21 p.m.	6:21 p.m.
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##### SOUTH

5:07 a.m.	12:13 p.m.	8:13 p.m.
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Make your dollars talk now, Hitler understands "Hurricane" language.

First session of the ninth Alberta Legislature opened Thursday last, shorn of the customary pomp and ceremony. Civic and Royal Canadian Mounted Police provided guards and two military representatives accompanied His Honor on his arrival.

First actual business, preceding the delivery of the Speech, was the election of a Speaker. Hon. Peter Dawson was again honored, his nomination being unanimous. J. H. Walker, opposition leader, complimented Mr. Dawson and said the opposition heartily concurred in the choice of the speaker.

At this opening, 25 members took their seats for the first time. Of this number, 15 were Independents, 9 Social Crediters, one Labor. The Labor member's seat was at the end of the first Independent row, set about six inches apart from the main opposition. The seat of Capt. J. H. Tremblay, liberal, who is over seas, was also separated from the others, and rendered conspicuous by a Union Jack draped over the

desk. C. I. Sayers, Social Credit member for Camrose, will occupy his seat formally on March 3. One new face showed in the Treasury Benches, that of Hon. D. Bruce MacMillan, who sits where the late minister, Hon. D. B. Mullen, formerly sat.

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## The World of Wheat

By H. G. L. Strange

At the start of the present crop season, it was apparent that there would not be sufficient space in country elevators to take the farmers' wheat at the speed which in past years, it had been hauled to markets; and so it was necessary that the flow of grain to country elevators should be slowed down somewhat, at least during the early part of the delivery season.

The Canadian Wheat Board has given the task — of guiding to its usual duties — of guiding the flow of wheat from farms to country points to accord with the space in country elevators as it became available. This was done by allotting quotas to the farmers in each district. During the first six months, two-thirds of the crop has been guided by the Wheat Board in this fashion.

The work was difficult and complicated, for it involved guiding not only the wheat from the farms but in addition the wheat flow from country elevators to terminals. It also necessitated the suitable distribution of railway cars.

It has all been well done, and with an astonishingly small number of complaints, and so it seems to me that our Wheat Board is entitled to hearty congratulations for performing this exceedingly difficult and complicated task to the satisfaction of all.

Following factors have tended to raise price: Heavy rains in the Argentine will damage small grains improperly stored — Belgium and Norway are seeking foodstuffs from Russia — Quality of Argentine wheat is below normal — Rain in Australia is interfering with seeding — Floods and freezing have been unfavorable for southern European crops.

Following factors have tended to lower price: Argentine corn yields may produce surplus of 450 to 500 bushels — Broomhall estimates exportable wheat surplus in Argentina at 108 million — Political disturbances in the Orient adversely affect Canadian sales — Australian wheat, "Carry-over" revised upward — Moisture conditions in U.S. winter wheat area above average.

Aunt (inspecting jumper): "And did my little niece knit this all by herself?"

Betty: "Yes, Auntie, all except the hole you put your head through, and that was there when I started."



Dr. K. W. Neathy  
Director, Agricultural Department  
North-West Line Elevators Association

### Soil Conservation

In an address at Calgary recently, L. B. Thomson, Superintendent of the Dominion Experimental Station at Swift Current, made some interesting observations and practical suggestions when speaking on the subject, "Soil Conservation in Relation to Reduced Wheat Acreage." His remarks had application to the prairie or plains area. He divided his subject into three parts:

1. Good farm land.
2. Abandoned land adjoining good land.
3. Abandoned land and farm grazing units.

An increase in summerfallow is recommended for the good soil areas. He stated that the two year rotation of wheat and fallow will yield, with a lower production cost, almost as much wheat as the three year rotation. Other advantages gained would include an improved condition of land for crop in 1942, and less damage from insect pests. Mr. Thomson suggested that on practically every farm soil drifting has its origin in small localized areas which start to drift. These areas should be seeded down to grass to prevent spreading of the problem. Mr. Thomson recommends a vigorous policy of regrassing sub-marginal areas which adjoin good farm land.

The problem of handling large areas of non-arable land in southwestern Saskatchewan and southeastern Alberta is to keep these lands out of cultivation and in a satisfactory condition for grazing.

The necessity of curtailing Canadian wheat production is open to debate. However, if automatic reduction in wheat production as a result of extractive methods of farming is to be avoided, the points raised by Mr. Thomson must receive early consideration.

### CLASSIFIED ADS PAY

#### Baron Freed



#### Baron von Werra

His frozen ears tightly bandaged, Baron Franz von Werra, 56-year-old German, who claims to have shot down 14 British planes, is shown above, as he arrived in New York, after escaping Canadian internment camps by paddling a rowboat across St. Lawrence river with his bare hands. Von Werra is out on \$5,000 bond posted by the German consul.

Baron von Werra is shown above, as he arrived in New York, after escaping Canadian internment camps by paddling a rowboat across St. Lawrence river with his bare hands.

## Fifty-Nine Hours of Horror



After working without stop for 59 hours a rescue crew finally reach the place where the Steplov family of London were imprisoned after a bomb struck their home. Rescue came too late, however, for the husband and father, who was dead.





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#### Mail for Delivery Overseas—

The designation "C.A.S.F., c/o Base Post Office, Canada" is to be omitted and the words "Canadian Army Overseas" substituted therefor, as follows:

Regimental No., rank and name  
 Name and details of Unit (i.e., Company or Section, Squadron, Battery, Holding Unit, etc.)  
 Name of Regiment or Branch of Service  
 Canadian Army Overseas.

#### For example:

R 12345, Cpl. A. J. Blank,  
 1st Anti-Tank Regiment,  
 Royal Canadian Artillery,  
 Canadian Army Overseas.

Note: If a soldier is overseas the word "Overseas" must appear in the address, but not place name.

#### Mail for Delivery in Canada:

The usual complete particulars—regimental number, rank and name

and details of unit and name of regiment or branch of service, and, in addition, the Post Office name of the place in Canada where the soldier is stationed, must be given. For example:

G—12345, Gnr. John Jones,  
 15th Heavy Battery,  
 Royal Canadian Artillery,  
 Saint John, N. B.

Until such time as the new method of addressing becomes generally known, mail bearing the design "C.A.S.F." will as heretofore be despatched to destinations, but the public should immediately adopt the new method when addressing letters, parcels and other mail to members of the Canadian Army, either Overseas or stationed in Canada.

Official intimation from Ottawa that the federal government will spend \$9 millions on air bases through Alberta and British Columbia to Alaska. It is said that the air bases, located along the projected route of the Inland Highway, will be completed next summer.

The undertaking will be entirely Canadian, but American commercial and military planes may use it to proceed to Alaska. They will be located 200 miles apart. Workers are already in the north, having gone by plane and tractor train to rush construction preliminaries.

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### GRAIN MITES

Reports of damage to stored grain from grain mites continue to be received by the Provincial Department of Agriculture. While the majority of cases of infestation refer to elevators and annexes, it is expected that the situation will presently be farm bins as well. Elevators report finding grain samples of wheat taken from "miserable" wagons. Farmers are, therefore, beginning to inspect their granaries to see if their wheat is free of the pests.

The grain mite is an extremely small insect-like organism. It is practically white in colour and difficult to detect with the naked eye. Anyone with an appreciable amount of wheat on hand should inspect it for this pest. They are more likely to appear in old wheat, or in wheat with more than a normal moisture content. In such

grain they may increase in numbers very rapidly and the grain will deteriorate proportionately. With the presence of mites, both the moisture content and the temperature of the grain is increased. Wheat found to be heating or to have become tough in the bin should be regarded with suspicion.

The temperature of wheat in small bins with proper ventilation should naturally be somewhat the same as that of the air outside the bin. If a thermometer is placed on a stick and pushed down in the centre of the bin, the temperature of the grain can readily be obtained at various levels. If it is found that the temperature of the wheat is abnormally high, small samples should be taken, screened, and the screenings carefully examined on a black surface, preferably with a magnifying glass. This should be done frequently, and if mites are found, their presence should be reported to a local elevator agent at

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### COMING EVENTS

The Floral U.F.W.A. are holding their annual Calico Ball at the East Community Hall, Friday, March 14. Music by the Trochu Rhythm Kings. Prize for prettiest bought dress and for prettiest home made dress. Be sure to keep this date open.

### C.H.S. HOCKEY TEAM MAKE TRIP TO BANFF

The local high school hockey club, leaders in the Rosebud league, met some real opposition in their trip to the mountains last week-end. Playing in Banff on Friday night, they were forced to bow to a superior team with the one-sided score of 11-2. Following the game, they were guests of the Banff club at a high school dance which they enjoyed very much.

On Saturday afternoon, they stopped off at Cochrane for a game, losing out in a more even match 2-1.

The Crossfield goals were scored by J. Fleming and D. Stevens at Banff and C. McMillan at Cochrane. Cars for the trip were provided by Mr. Gish, Mr. D. Adams and Mr. T. M. Mair. The club wish to express their appreciation to these men, to those who donated gas, and to all others who assisted in making this trip possible.

Cavassers in the War Savings Certificate campaign are meeting with good response. At present the committee have no definite report on the number of pledges signed, but Mr. A. E. Price reports for the south half of G. Murdoch's division, No. 3, stating that he visited 33 homes and received 100 per cent co-operation, having signed every home.

### Classified Ads

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once, or to the Department of Agriculture. Constant vigilance may save a farmer considerable loss. Granaries, especially new ones, should be well ventilated. This will tend to arrest heating by allowing excess moisture to pass off and so arrest the development of the pest.

Briefly the precautions are:

- 1 Keep all bins well ventilated.
- 2 Examine frequently for toughness or increase in temperature
- 3 Move the affected grain without mixing the unaffected, if possible.

4 Farmers with damp grain in store must examine frequently.

Inquiries concerning grain mites should be forwarded to the Field Crops Branch, Department of Agriculture, Edmonton which is giving special attention to the problem.

Husband: "You must think automobiles grow on trees."

Wife: "Silly! Everybody knows they come from plants."



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#### COUNCIL MEETINGS

The council of the village of Crossfield will meet in the Fire Hall on the first Monday of each month at the hour of 8 o'clock p.m.  
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### Church Announcements

CROSSFIELD AND DISTRICT  
UNITED CHURCH

Minister

Rev. H. V. Ellison.

Church Services, March 2nd, 1941.

Provincial Day of Prayer.

Note changes in hour of Services.

Crossfield: Sunday School—10. a. m.

Church Service—11. a. m.

Commencing Lenten Series "We would see Jesus," No. 1. "See Him as He Faces Trouble."

Dox Pond—2.30 p. m. Day of Prayer for Victory.

Madden—7.30 p. m. Illustrated Service.

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CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION

(Anglican)

Rev. A. D. Currie, Rector

Services to March 2nd,

Feb. 26, Ash Wednesday — 10.00 a.m.

Holy Communion.

March 2, 1st Sunday in Lent, 11.00 a.m.

Holy Communion.

A.Y.P.A. meets First and Third Thursdays at 8.00 p.m.

Bible Class meets every Sunday at 9.15 a.m. and Sunday School at 10.00 a.m.

REGULAR BAPTIST CHURCH

Pastor: Rev. D. G. Milligan.

Morning Service, 11.00 a. m.

Sunday School, 12 noon

Evening Service, 7.45 o'clock

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